Amendment No. 1 to HB1319

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 965*

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by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting instead the following:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 40-35-302, is amended by deleting subsection (j).

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 40, Chapter 35, Part 3, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

- (a) If practicable, a judge shall, at the time of sentencing, notify a person convicted of an offense that is eligible for expunction of:
 - (1) The person's eligibility to have all public records of the conviction destroyed in the manner set forth in § 40-32-101; and
 - (2) The time period after which the person can petition for expunction of the offense.
- (b) The administrative office of the courts shall provide judges handling criminal matters with a reference document listing:
 - (1) Each criminal offense eligible for expunction pursuant to § 40-32-101; and
- (2) The time period after which each offense is eligible for expunction.SECTION 3. This act takes effect July 1, 2021, the public welfare requiring it.